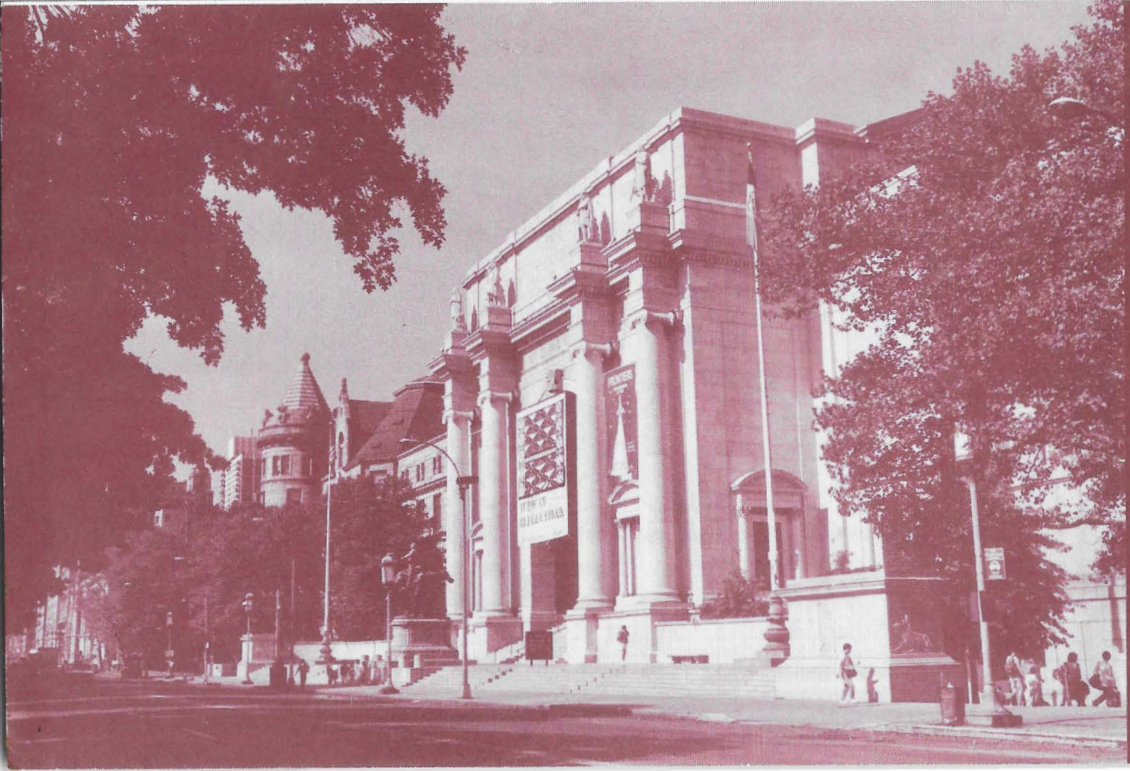
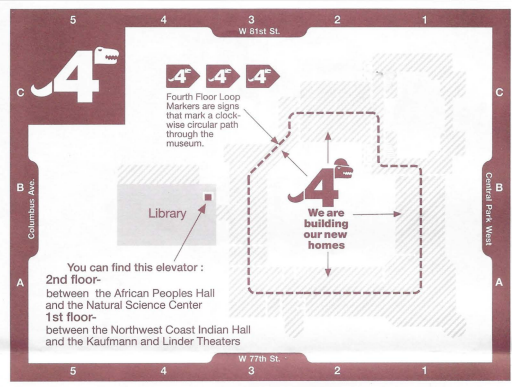


FLOOR PLAN

American Museum of Natural History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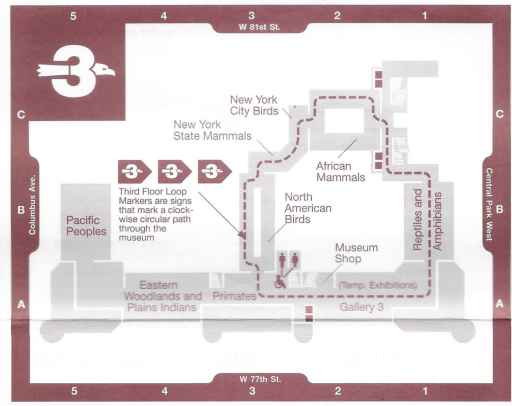
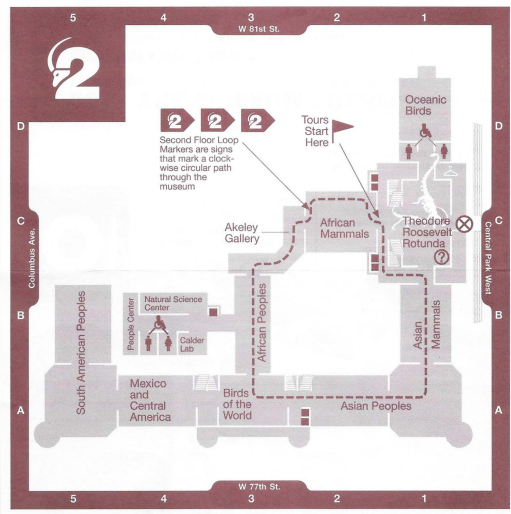
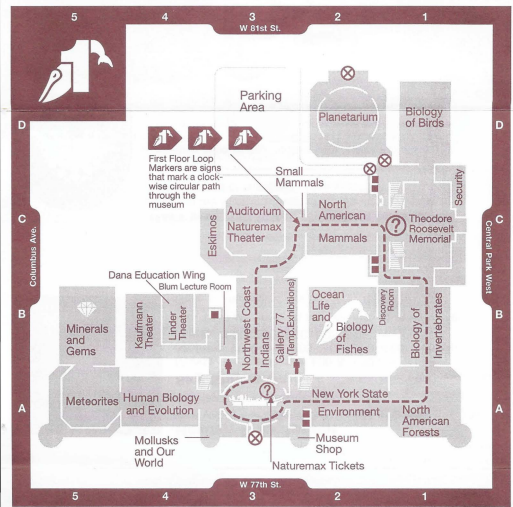
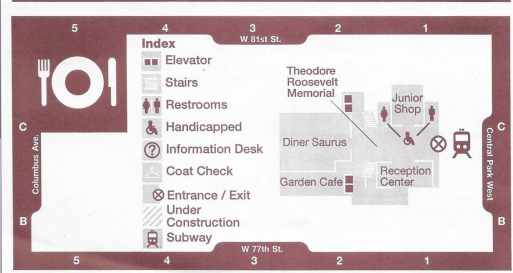
Fourth Floor Loop Markers are signs that mark a clock-wise circular path through the museum.
Library
We are building our new homes
You can find this elevator :
2nd floor-
between the African Peoples Hall and the Natural Science Center
1st floor-
between the Northwest Coast Indian Hall and the Kaufmann and Linder Theaters
Columbus Ave.
Central Park West
W 77th St.









DIRECTORY

Exhibit

Map Loc. / Floor No.

Birds
Biology of Birds 1 D1
Birds of the World 2 A3
New York City Birds 3 C2
North American Birds 3 B3
Oceanic Birds 2 D1

Dinosaurs
Barosaurus 2 C1

Discovery Room 1 B2
(Weekends only. Tickets at first floor Information Desk.)

Ecology
NY State Environment 1 A2

Fishes
Biology of Fishes 1 B2

Forests
North American Forests ... 1 A1

Human Biology and Evolution 1 A4

Invertebrates
Biology of Invertebrates ... 1 B1

Mammals
African Mammals 2,3 C2
Asian Mammals 2 B1
North American Mammals . 1 C2
Ocean Life 1 B2
Primates 3 A3

Memorabilia
John Burroughs 1 B4
Lincoln Ellsworth 1 A2
Theodore Roosevelt 1 C1

Meteorites, Minerals and Gems
Gems 1 B5
Meteorites 1 A5
Minerals 1 B5

Naturemax
Theater 1 C3
Ticket Desk 1 A3

Peoples
African Peoples 2 B3
Asian Peoples 2 A2
Eastern Woodlands & Plains Indians 3 A4
Eskimos 1 C3
Mexico & Central America 2 A4
Northwest Coast Indians . 1 B3
Pacific Peoples 3 B5
South American Peoples . 2 B5

Planetarium 1 D2

Reptiles & Amphibians . 3 B1

Shells
Evelyn Miles Keller Memorial 1 A4
Mollusks & Our World 1 A4
NY State Shells 1 A4

Special Exhibits
Akeley Gallery 2 C3
Gallery 3 ..... 3 A2
Gallery 77 ..... 1 B3

Services & Shops

Food Service Facilities
(Box lunches are not permitted)
Diner Saurus 0 C2
Garden Cafe 0 B2

Museum Shops
Gallery 3 Shop 3 A2
Junior Shop 0 C1
Junior Shop Counter 1 A3
Main Shop 1 A2
Museum Shop Express ... 2 B1
Planetarium Shop 1 D2

Charles A. Dana Education Wing
Edith C. Blum Lecture Room 1 B3
Kaufmann Theater 1 B4
Linder Theater 1 B4
Natural Science Center ... 2 B4
(Check schedule at Information Desk)
People Center 2 B4
(Check schedule at Information Desk)

Special Services and Meeting Rooms
Auditorium 1 C3
Coat Checking 2 C1
(nominal fee)
Information Desks 1 A3
1&2 C1
Library (For research only) 4 B4
Lost & Found / Security ... 1 C1
Members' Lounge 2 C1
Museum Highlights Tour .. 2 C1
(Check Schedule at Information Desk)
Personnel Office 3 B3
Photography & Slides 4 B4
Planetarium Library 1 D2

Coming Attractions

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Museum Hours:
Sunday through Thursday: 10 a.m. to 5:45 p.m.
Friday and Saturday: 10 a.m. to 8:45 p.m.
(Closed on Thanksgiving and Christmas Days.)

Telephone Numbers:
General Information: (212) 769-5100
School Group Appointments: (212) 769-5300
Offices: (212) 769-5000
Volunteer Office: (212) 769-5566
Naturemax: (212) 769-5650
Membership: (212) 769-5606
Planetarium Sky Shows: (212) 769-5920
Laser Shows: (212) 769-5921

Suggested Admission Fees:
Adults: $5.00 Children: $2.50
(Some contribution is required.
Free to members)

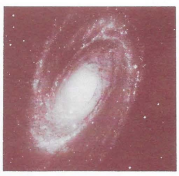
School Group Visits:
On N.Y.C. public school days group visits, by appointment only, are scheduled before 1:00 p.m., on these days individuals under the age of 18 are not admitted before 2.00 p.m. unless accompanied by an Adult.

Free Highlights Tours Daily:
Tours begin at 10:15, 11:15, 1:15, 2:15, 3:15
Meet at African Mammal Hall
Specialized Tours: Ask at Information Desks

Hearing-Impaired Services: amplification system being installed in auditoriums, exhibit video captioning in progress. See Information Desks for schedule of sign language tours.

Note: On certain occasions exhibition areas may be temporarily closed without notice; we regret any inconvenience caused to our visitors.

The American Museum of Natural History, a private institution, receives substantial support from a number of sources. We are particularly grateful to the City of New York which owns the Museum Buildings and provides funds for their operation and maintenance; and to the New York State Council on the Arts, National Science Foundation, National Endowment for the Humanities, 200 corporations, 100 private foundations, 520,000 members, and numerous individual contributors.



Hayden Planetarium

Your visit to the Museum isn't complete without a visit to the Hayden Planetarium!

Sky Shows Daily: (Enter on First Floor, **1-D2**)
Monday through Friday: 1:30 & 3:30 pm
Saturday: 11:00 am*, 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 pm
Sunday: 1:00, 2:00, 3:00, 4:00, 5:00 pm
*No 11:00 am show on first Saturday of every month.

General Information Hotline: (212) 769-5920

THE MUSEUM SHOP

Make your visit to the museum a lasting one.
Come to the Museum Shop where the natural world and the world of fine crafts come together.

The Main Shop on the 77th Street lobby features minerals, jewelry, reproductions and an outstanding natural history book department.

The Junior Shop on the lower level provides young visitors with a selection of merchandise chosen especially for them, including dinosaurs, educational kits, books and toys.
Members get a 10% discount.

NATUREMAX

Naturemax, the giant screen theater inside the American Museum of Natural History, features an Imax motion picture projection system. Films are projected onto a giant screen which is 40 feet high and 66 feet wide. A wide range of natural, science and anthropological subjects are presented in an exciting and entertaining style. The Naturemax Theater is a film experience you won't want to miss!

Show Times:
Everyday 10:30 am to 4:30 pm, hourly
Friday & Saturday: (Double Features) shown 6:00 & 7:30 pm
Tickets may be purchased at the Naturemax Ticket counter by the canoe at the 77th Street side of the Museum. **(1-A3)**
(For further information, call (212) 769-5650)

GARDEN CAFE **(0-B2)**

A variety of menu selections in a casual greenhouse setting.

- ☐ Lunch: Monday- Friday 11:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.
- ☐ Dinner: Friday & Saturday 5:00 to 7:30 p.m.
- ☐ Brunch: Saturday & Sunday 11:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

DINER SAURUS FAST SERVICE EATERY **(0-C2)**

Fast service for sandwiches, salads, snacks and more.

- ☐ Daily: 11:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m.

Both of our restaurants are located on the lower level (0)

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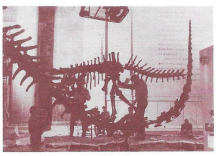

The first step in this massive project is the spectacular new *Barosaurus* exhibit, featuring the tallest free-standing dinosaur in the world. The exhibit, now on view in the Theodore Roosevelt Rotunda, depicts a dramatic scene that could have occurred 140 million years ago — an adult *Barosaurus* rearing up 50 feet in the air to protect its baby from a marauding predator, *Allosaurus*.

The *Barosaurus* gives a taste of the kind of exciting new exhibits being created for the new fossil halls. To complete a project this large, some of the fossil halls will be closed temporarily, but there will always be dinosaurs on view throughout the renovation. And you'll be able to follow the work in progress and see more dinosaurs in temporary exhibitions.

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This is a projected schedule for the openings of the new fossil halls on the fourth floor:

Spring 1994
Mammal Halls I & II

Spring 1995
Dinosaur Halls I & II

Spring 1996
Primitive Vertebrates & The Orientation Center

JOIN THE MUSEUM TODAY!

Memberships available at all information desks **(1 & 2-C1, 1-A3)**

Membership Benefits

- The beautiful monthly magazine, *Natural History*
- Free Museum admission
- Opportunities for travel
- Discounts at the shops, Naturemax Theater and Garden Cafe
- A Membership Card that entitles you to much more

Membership Application - Yes! I want to Join

Please enroll me as:

☐ **$25 Associate Member:** Benefits include *Natural History* magazine, free admission for one, discounts at the Museum Shops, Garden Cafe and Naturemax Theater.

☐ **$50 Participating Member:** All the benefits of an Associate Membership plus free admission for the family, the *Rotunda* newsletter, discounts for Planetarium Sky Shows and on education courses, behind-the-scenes tours, exhibition previews, and special Membership programs.

☐ **$100 Contributing Member:** All the benefits of a Participating Membership plus recognition of a noteworthy contribution to the Museum.

☐ Enclosed is my check payable to the American Museum of Natural History.

Name (Please Print)

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